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PETITION FOR A TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a two-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the office action mailed on November 25, 2002, said period of response being extended from February 25, 2003 to April 25, 2003.

Our check in the amount of \$205 is enclosed to cover the required extension fee for a small entity.

Respectfully submitted,

By their representative,

Date: 22 April 2003

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